IT IS CLAIMED:

5

10

15

1. In a flat rectangularly shaped memory card having, in plan view, first and second pairs of opposing parallel straight edges forming four corners wherein one of said corners includes an angled edge segment that intersects adjacent edges of one of each of the first and second pairs of edges at acute angles, said first pair of edges being shorter than said second pair of edges, an electrical contact structure comprising:

a row of nine rectangularly shaped recesses positioned along one of the first pair of shorter edges and the adjacent angled edge segment, the recesses being surrounded on three sides by walls, eight of the recesses opening on a fourth side to the shorter card edge and the other of the recesses opening on a fourth side to the angled edge segment,

said recesses individually containing a single electrical contact mounted on a bottom surface except that the recess along the shorter card edge that is furthest removed from the angled edge segment includes two electrical contacts mounted on a bottom surface thereof, and

wherein the contact in the recess that opens to the angled edge segment is set back further from the shorter edge than the contacts in the other recesses in the row.

- 2. The memory card electrical contact structure of claim 1, wherein the two electrical contacts within the recess furthest removed from the angled edge segment are positioned one behind the other at different distances from the shorter edge.
- 3. The memory card electrical contact structure of claim 1, wherein the contacts are positioned within their respective recesses with their front edges spaced a distance away from their respective shorter edge and angled edge segment.

4. A flat rectangularly shaped memory card, comprising:

two pairs of opposing parallel straight edges forming four corners wherein one of said corners includes an angled edge segment that intersects adjacent ones of the straight edges at acute angles,

5

a plurality of rectangularly shaped recesses formed in a row extending along one of said adjacent straight edges and said angled edge segment, the recesses being surrounded on three sides by walls, at least one of the recesses being opened on a fourth side to said angled edge segment and the remaining ones of the rows of recesses being opened on a fourth side to said one of the adjacent straight edges, and

10

said recesses individually containing a single electrical contact mounted on their bottom surfaces except that one of the recesses includes two electrical contacts mounted on its bottom surface.